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# House o' Macs Gardens

211 NORTH WASHINGTON

ABBEVILLE, LOUISIANA



A PRELIMINARY LIST FOR THE SPRING 1958

Daylilies and

Louisiana Native Irises

1958

A MORE COMPLETE LIST OF DAYLILIES AND LOUISIANA NATIVE IRISES WILL BE MAILLED TO YOU LATER

# 1958 CATALOG

### CONDITIONS OF SALE

Our garden is STATE INSPECTED and we guarantee all plants to be true to name, in healthy condition and proper grade when leaving our hands.

Our responsibility is limited to the initial cost of plants involved and all claims must be made within five (5) days after receipt of plants.

Prices quoted are at our garden unless otherwise specified. All orders of \$5.00 or more are prepaid in the U.S.A. On orders less than \$5.00, add 50c for packing and postage.

Terms: Cash with order unless otherwise arranged in advance. Please make 25% deposit when booking orders for future delivery.

Our supply of some plants is limited and orders are accepted in the order received and subject to prior sale. Refunds, of course, will be made in case we are unable to ship.

#### EXTRA SPECIAL

You will be glad to know that Caroline Dormon's new book, "Wild Flowers of the South", will probably be ready for distribution by the time this reaches you. It is being published by Horace McFarland & Company. Mail you orders to Claitor's Book Store, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Miss Dormon's first book, "Wild Flowers of Louisiana", is now a collector's item. In her new book the scope has been extended. Wild flowers of the South (instead of just Louisiana) will be described and illustrated by Caroline's own drawings, many of them in full color.

Price: \$7.50

#### Foreword

There are two reasons for our mailing to you a **preliminary** price list for day lilies and Louisiana native iris:

In the first place, we haven't had one since 1955; and we don't want our old friends to forget us, even if our garden is still a hobby.

The big reason is that it's getting close to May 14th, when "Hem" fans will be trekking to Houston for our annual review of progress and especially for plans for the future. We hope this list will remind "Hem" fans that, for most of them, our garden and a number of others will be en route to Houston.

Without some sort of catastrophe, we should have something worthwhile for you to see at the House O' Macs in Abbeville. Thousands of new seedlings should be in bloom. Also, as you will note from the list, we have acquired many of the finest recent introductions, and whether you want to buy or not, we will be happy to have you visit with us.

All daylily fans know that Baton Rouge has many leading producers and growers. New Orleans has a number of fine gardens. We are especially fond of Mrs. Dave Clark's collection; and if you haven't seen them, it will be well worth your time.

In our opinion, one of the most complete and most modern collections anywhere is at Lafayette in the C. G. Simon garden. From Lafayette it's only 20 miles to Abbeville, and you will lose very little, if any, mileage on the way to Houston by going from Abbeville to Kaplan, Gueydan, to Midland on a new concrete highway, then on Highway 90 to Iowa, where we understand Mrs. Spalding is producing some wonderful seedlings.

# DAYLILIES

Variety	
AGNES PUTNAM GODCHAUX (MacMillan) _ \$15.00	
ALEXANDER COCKTAIL (MacMillan) 3.00	
ALMA KING (W. Davis) 5.00	
AMHERST (Wheeler)	
ARLA (Wheeler)	
AURORA (Wheeler) 1.00	
AUTUMN RED (Nesmith)	
BAILEY WALKER (Wood) 20.00	
BANANA SPLIT (MacMillan) 1.00	
BENEVOLENCE (MacMillan)	
BERTRAND FARR (Russell)	
BESS ROSS (Claar) 15.00	
BIG SHOT (Pumphrey) 1.50	
BLACK CAVERN (MacMillan) 3.00	
BLACK FALCON (Nesmith)	
BLACK FRIAR (Lester) 1.50	
BLACK HILLS (Russell)	
BLITZ (Connell) 15.00	
BLOND BUTTERFLY (Slaughter) 5.00	
BLUE HORIZON (Connell) 2.00	
BOLD COURTIER (Nesmith)	
BONEPARTE (MacMillan) 2.00	
BRICK DUST (MacMillan)	)
BROWN BILLOWS (MacMillan)50 (3 for \$1.00)	
BRUNO (Kraus) 2.00	
BRYCE CANYON (Kraus) 6.00	)
BUDDY SLAUGHTER (Slaughter) 1.00	)
BUGLE CALL (MacMillan)	
BUSTER BROWN (Coughlin)	)
CABALLERO (Stout)50 (3 for \$1.00	)
CAPISTRANO (Milliken)	)
CARMEL (Slaughter) 3.00	)
CARROUSEL (Howell) 1.0	)
CHATTAHOOCHE (Farris) 10.0	)
CHIEF JOSEPH (Kraus) 20.0	)
CHIANG (MacMillan)	)

Variety	Price
CHLOE (Nesmith)	
CITATION (Taylor)	3.00
CLOUD CAP (Childs)	
COEUR d'LION (Connell)	3.00
COLONIAL DAME (Milliken)	1.00
CONCERTO (Childs)	5.00
COOLADE (MacMillan)	1.00
CORAL MIST (Hall)	10.00
CORINNA COOPER (MacMillan)	2.00
COSETTE (Milliken)	1.50
CRADLE SONG (Milliken)	
CREOLE BELLE (Murphy)	10.00
CREPETTE (Milliken)	
DAAFU (Claar)	5.00
DAINTY DEB (Childs)	3.00
DAWN PINK (Kraus)	
DELTA GIRL (Wheeler)	4.00
DIADEM (Wheeler)	.75
D. R. McKEITHAN (Russell)	1.50
DREAMY (Wheeler)	7.50
DUCHESS OF WINDSOR (Traub)	(3 for \$1.00)
DUET (MacMillan)	1.00
EASTER BONNET (MacMillan)	5.00
EASTER MORN (Wheeler)	.75
ELITE (Sholar)	1.50
ELUSIVE (Childs)	8.00
EMBOSSED VELVET (MacMillan)	2.50
ERIN (Howell)	1.50
EVELYN CLAAR (Kraus)	2.00
EYES OF LOVE (MacMillan)	2.00
FAIR VISION (MacMillan)	2.00
FAIRY WINGS (Lester)	12.00
FESTIVITY (Wheeler)	3.00
FLYING SAUCER (Flory)	15.00
FOND CARESS (Milliken)	.75
FORTYNINER (Ferrick)	4.00
FRANCES FAY (Fay)	25.00
FRANCES WYNN (Slaughter)	1.00

Variety	Price
FRANK A. GODCHAUX (MacMillan)	10.00
FULVA ROSEA SPECIES50 (3 for	\$1.00)
GALA BONFIRE (Slaughter)	3.50
GARDEN BOUQUET (Gersdorff)	1.00
GARDEN DELIGHT (MacMillan)50 (3 for	\$1.00)
GARDEN LADY (Norton)50 (3 for	
GARNET ROBE (Millikee)	.50
GAYLARK (Connell)	5.00
GENE WILD (Lester)	15.00
GENGHIS KHAN (MacMillan)	1.00
GOBELIN TAPESTRY (MacMillan)	7.50
GOLD ANTIQUE (Buck)	2.00
GOLD CLOUD (Sass)	2.50
GOLD RUSH (Sholar)	5.00
GOLDEN SONG (Kraus)	1.00
GOLDEN TRIANGLE (Traub)	2.50
GOLDEN WEST (Sass)	\$1.00)
GORGEOUS DEB (Sholar)	2.00
GREEN EYES (Sholar)	5.00
GREEN MAGIC (Hall)	12.50
HALO EVERYBODY (MacMillan)	
HANSA (Sutton)	1.00
HEART OF GOLD (Sutton)	4.00
HEARTS AFIRE (Connell)	7.50
HELOISE (Wheeler)	.50
HIGH NOON (Milliken)	
HOBBY (Childs)	5.00
HONOR GUARD (Carpenter)	1.00
HOT CHOCOLATE (Slaughter)	
HOWDY (Armstrong)	
IVORY CASTLE (Childs)	2.00
IVORY CHALICE (Nesmith)	1.00
JEWEL RUSSELL (Russell)	r \$1.00)
JODY (Slaughter)	
JOY BRINGER (Sholar)	4.00
JUMBO PINK (MacMillan)	.50
JUNIOR MISS (Taylor)	1.00
KILLARNEY LASS (Nesmith)	1.00

Variety	Price
KITTY DEE (C. W. Davis)	2.50
LADY BOUNTIFUL (Lester)	2.00
LADY FAIR (Nesmith)	1.00
LADY GODIVA (Connell)	.75
LAFAYETTE (MacMillan)	1.00
LARK ELLEN (Milliken)	2.00
LEATHER BREECHES (MacMillan)	1.00
LILAC LANE (Sholar)	3.00
LILAC TIME (Wheeler)	1.00
LILIBET (Lester)	2.00
LIME FROLIC (Sholar)	5.00
LIME ICE (MacMillan)	1.00
LIVING RED (MacMillan)	5.00
LOCHINVAR (Taylor)	.50
LORD JEFF (Wheeler)	20.00
LOUISIANA QUEEN	1.00
LUCILE SLAUGHTER (Slaughter)	1.00
LUXOR (Wheeler)	1.50
LYRIC (Childs)	20.00
MADGE VAUGHN (Slaughter)	4.00
MADRIGAL (Milliken)	1.00
MAGIC DAWN (Hall)	12.50
MAID MARION (Lester)	1.00
MAMIE LAKE (Russell)	\$1.00)
MARCIA (Slaughter)	7.00
MARIE WOOD (Wood)	
MA ROSE (MacMillan)	.50
MARSE CONNELL (Connell)	1.00
MAXINE COOLEY (Cooley)	2.50
MEADOW SWEET (Taylor)	5.00
MEDALLION (Saxton)	2.00
MELLOW HEART (Flory)	5.00
MELLOW JOY (MacMillan)	3.00
MIDWEST SUNSHINE (Sass)	1.50
MIMOSA ROSE (Lester)	.50
MING (Stout)	.75
MINT JULEP (Hogg)	5.00
MISSION ACCOMPLISHED (MacMillan)	

Variety	Price
MISSIONARY (MacMillan)	1.00
MITCHELL (Slaughter)	4.00
MONROE (Sholar)	
MOONBEAM (Sass)	2.00
MRS. B. F. BONNER (Russell)	\$1.00)
MRS. DOUGLAS PATTISON (Buck)	
MRS. G. C. SPILLERS (Hall)	12.50
MRS. H. M. RUSSELL (Russell)	7.50
NANCY SLAUGHTER (Slaughter)	7.00
NARANJA (Wheeler)	.75
NEVERMORE (Wheeler)	20.00
NEW DEAL (MacMillan)	r \$1.00
NEYRON ROSE (Kraus)	7.50
OLD WINE (MacMillan)	2.00
OKLAHOMA (McKeithan)	5.00
ONEITA (C. W. Davis)	\$1.00)
OPEN HEARTED (MacMillan)	2.00
ORANGE BEAUTY (Sass)	1.00
ORANGE PEEL (MacMillan)	2.50
ORANGE SUNSET (Sutton)	2.00
PAINTED DESERT (MacMillan)	2.00
PAINTED LADY (Russell)	.75
PANSY FACE (Hogg)	2.00
PARTY PINK (Childs)	14.00
PASSPORT (MacMillan)	1.00
PASTEL PALS (MacMillan)	
PATRICIA (Stout)50 (3 fo	r \$1.00)
PEACHARINO (MacMillan)	1.00
PEACH BROCADE (Hall)	10.00
PEGGY CHILDS (Childs)	
PEGGY MACMILLAN (MacMillan)	
PICTURE (Lester)	
PINK BOWKNOT (Taylor)	
PINK CHARM (Nesmith)	
PINK DAMASK (Stevens)	
PINK DREAM (Childs)	
PINK OPAL (Carpenter)	
PINK ORCHID (Hall)	10.00

Variety	
PINK PRELUDE (Nesmith)	Price
PIRATE SAILS (Milliken)	
POWDER PUFF (Lester)	
PRETTY POLLY (MacMillan)	
PRODICY (Wheeler)	
PRODIGY (Wheeler)	
PURPLE FINCH (Nesmith)	
PURPLE HEART (MacMillan)	
REAL GOLD (Craig)	
RED RIDER (MacMillan)	
RISING STAR (Taylor)	
ROWENA EWING (Leatherman)	
ROYAL RUBY (Nesmith)	
ROYAL TOGA (Register)	
ROYALTY (Nesmith)	
RUFFLED PINAFORE (Milliken)	
RUFFLED RED (MacMillan)	
RUSTICUS (Connell)	
RUSTY GOLD (Carpenter)	
RUTH BAYLIS (Slaughter)	
SALMON SHEEN (Taylor)	
SANIBEL (Taylor)	
SEQUIN (Wheeler)	
SHOSHONE (Taylor)	
SHOWER OF STARS (Sholar)	
SHOW GIRL (Wheeler)	1.00
SIDE SHOW (Russell)	
SIGNAL FLASH (MacMillan)	
SILVER SAILS (Connell)	18.00
SIMON ROSE (MacMillan)	5.00
SIMS' BI-COLOR (Sims)	1.00
SKIP SLAUGHTER (Slaughter)	7.00
SNOW BIRD (Connell)	1.00
SOMBER ART (MacMillan)	1.00
SOUTHERN PRIDE (Alexander)	10.00
SPLENDOR (Stevens)	15.00
SPRING FANTASY (Lester)	2.00

Variety	Price
SPRING PRIDE (Spalding)	5.00
SUMMER LOVE (Milliken)	4.00
SUNSET SKY (Taylor)	4.00
SUNSHINE and SHADOWS (MacMillan)	2.00
SWAN (Watkins)	.50
SWEET REFRAIN (Hall)	7.50
TAMARA (Milliken)	
TEMPLE BELLS (Hall)	20.00
THE DIRECTOR (Russell)	\$1.00)
THISTLE DOWN (Nesmith)	2.00
TOOTIE (Claar)	7.50
TRAIL'S END (Russell)	
TROPHY (Saxton)50 (3 for	\$1.00)
VELVET BUTTERCUP (Schmelzer)	
VERILITE (Connell)	1.50
VISION (Taylor)	17.50
WAR EAGLE (Hall)	30.00
WESTWEGO (Howell)	
WHITE SAMITE (Kane)	2.50
WINTER PURPLE (Wheeler)	
WONDER (Craig)	
YAMBOREE (Sass)	2.00
YELLOW DRAGONFLY (Slaughter)	
YELLOW PERFECTION (MacMillan)	1.00

#### L.S.U. SEEDLINGS-Each \$1.00

No. 1, No. 15, No. 54, No. 116, No. 121, No. 154, No. 155, No. 169, No. 180, No. 218, No. 246, No. 256, No. 263.

# LOUISIANA NATIVE IRISES

Many new native seedlings are now in bloom. We will be registering some new ones after the bloom season is finished and will, at that time, publish our list of new introductions. We have only two ready as this goes to press.

# INTRODUCTIONS 1958

MISTIS (MacM - '57) A huge pink to lavender bloom, beautiful carriage on strong bloom stalk. It ushers in the iris season with practically the earliest bloom. It was the winner of the 1958 Captain Stuart Abbott Award. Stock limited.	\$	5.00
swamp angel (MacM - '58) We have waited years to develop an iris worthy of the name "Swamp Angel", taken from Ray Cornay's now famous "Swamp Angel" fabrication; medium large bloom with near white standards edged and veined pink; broad falls of Rhodonite Pink lined with deeper pink; the golden crest is diffused through the falls; a lucky cross from the standard transfer of the standard transfer		
PREVIOUSLY INTRODUCED BY HOUSE O' MACS AND OTHERS		5.00
ABBEVILLE REDS, Imported		.50
ACCENTS DARK (MacM) 6" Wild Astor color, flaring form, grandparent of Black Widow	\$	
ANGEL FARE (Mathews) Pure pink, graceful curving form		1.00
AUTUMN LIGHTS (MacM - '47) Flashing mixture, violet to red on gold background		1.00
BARBARA ELAINE TAYLOR (Taylor - '52) Lafayette Show Winner '52 and three times winner of white class, 6" bloom, wonderful substance, pure white		2.00
BAYOU SUNSET (MacM - '45) SLI Show Award '44, MSD Award '49. Popularity Award '52. 8" bloom, soft rose with radiating golden glow signal		1.00
BLACK WIDOW (MacM - '53) A Purple Wonder seedling, blackest purple yet produced, no signal patch. A huge 71/2" bloom with wide segments on extra strong stalk. Vigorous grower.		5.00
BLUE SUNSET (Mac - '54) Clematis blue, radiating gray signal, broad floral parts		.50
BUTTER BRICKEL (Arny) Peggy Mac x ?. Large flat, ruffled, butterscotch colored flower on 24" stalk, 7 to 10 blooms per stalk	:	2.00
CHERRY BOUNCE (Nelson - '46) MSD Award '51, bright, flaring wild cherry color		.75
DORA DAY (Arny - '52) Bayou Sunset x Blue Gigantae, striking flaring bitone, light purple to lavender, branching bloom stalks, 36", midseason	:	2.00
HAILE SELASSIE (MacM - '43) Multi-parent of Accents Dark, Purple Wonder, and Black Widow	:	1.00
LOCKETT'S LUCK (Duval-Jestremski - '47) SLI Show Award '48. Large flesh pink, diamond shaped golden signal patch outlined with marcon		1.00

Variety	Price
LOUISE ARNY (Arny - '52) HM Award '56, pastel blue to lavender, orange-yellow dagger crest, 5" erect, cupped and ruffled flower, free blooming, a wonderful parent	2.00
MIDSHIPMAN (Richard - '50) SLI Show Award '49. Large wisteria violet flower, flaring form	.75
NATIVE KING (MacM - '56) Broad petaled 6" seedling of Black Widow, wide-open seg- ments, dark velvety "Romanesque" color, contrasting "Lime Yellow" signal	3.00
PEGGY MAC (MacM - '43) Magenta rose; flat, overlapping form; child of Haile Selassie and mother of many modern show winners	.75
ROYAL GEM (Smith - '50) AIS President's Award '52; large, erect red-violet, bright gold signal patch	.75
SIGNAL FLASH (MacM) Flashing signet color, veined darker	1.00
strutting canary (MacM - '53) We believe this to be the finest yellow yet developed. Broad, flaring parts, bright canary yellow	5.00
SUSAN CURRY (MacM - '56) (In memory of mother of MacMillan clan). Soft pleasing color of "Heather" which pales to "Geisha" the second day, aging with charm, 5" to 6" erect showy bloom	5.00
VIOLET RAY (Dormon - '49) MSD Award '53, HM '51. Gorgeous 6½" pansy purple bloom with striking cream rays. Many claim this is the finest of all Louisiana Natives.	3.00
WARM LIGHT (MacM) Our second finest yellow seedling, parent of Strutting Canary	2.00
WHEELHORSE (Dormon) A sensation at the 1958 SLI Show, previously winner of AIS Award, huge upright showy form, mixed autumn colors	
whistle Bait (MacM - '53) A "wolf whistle" seedling of Autumn Lights	1.00
YELLOW SEEDLINGS from STRUTTING CANARY and WARM LIGHT	1.00
OTHER AVAILABLE ITEMS	
LYCORIS RADIATA—Red Spider Lilies20 :	for 1.00
LYCORIS AUREA—Temporarily withdrawn accept orders for Fall 1959 delivery	
ZEPHYRANTHES—"Fair Lily"—Candida white100 f	for 1.00
ZEPHYRANTHES—"Fairy Lily"—Carinata 12 for .75 or 100 :	for 5.00
ZEPHYRANTHES—"Fairy Lily"—Texana yellow ———————————————————————————————————	for 5.00
MARICA—Northiana (walking iris)	each .25
ARISTEA—Blue	.25
watsonias—Pink orheid color	for 1.00

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